

XX PRIORITY CLAIM - applicant(s) claim the benefit of
priority of the following application(s):

Japanese Patent Appln. No. 2002-247380 filed Aug. 27, 2002

XX PRIORITY DOCUMENT(s)

_____ Enclosed XX Not Enclosed

_____ VERIFIED STATEMENT TO ESTABLISH SMALL ENTITY STATUS

XX EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATION

_____ OTHER -

XX FEE


A check is enclosed for the following official fees:

	Large Entity	Small Entity
<u>XX</u> Basic Filing Fee	\$ 750.00	\$
<u>0</u> Independent Claims in Excess of 3	\$	\$
<u>0</u> Total Claims in Excess of 20	\$	\$
_____ Multiple Claim Fee	\$	\$
_____ Assignment Recordal Fee	\$	\$
TOTAL	\$ 750.00	\$

Respectfully submitted,

ADAMS & WILKS
Attorneys for applicants

50 Broadway
31st Floor
New York, NY 10004
(212) 809-3700

By: 
Bruce L. Adams
Reg. No. 25,386

Re: New patent application of Shinichi YOSHIDA et al.

for A THERMAL ACTIVATION DEVICE FOR HEAT-SENSITIVE SELF-ADHESIVE
SHEET AND A PRINTER ASSEMBLY EMPLOYING THE SAME

comprising transmittal letter, title, specification (pgs.1-31),
10 claims (pgs.29-31), abstract of the disclosure (pg.32), 7
sheets of formal drawings containing thereon Figs. 1-8C, express
mail certification and check in the amount \$750.00

Attorney's Docket No: S004-5062

EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.10

Express Mail Tracking Number: ER 243 472 609 US

Date of Deposit: JULY 2, 2003

I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with
the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to
Addressee" service under 37 CFR §1.10 on the date indicated above and
is addressed to MS PATENT APPLICATION, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,
P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



Michael Ruas